

THE WEATHER
Unsettled tonight and Tuesday prob-
ably showers.

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TURKS CLAIM VICTORY AND RETREAT OF BRITISH TROOPS BUT BRITISH DO NOT CONFIRM ENOUGH MONEY RAISED BY GIFTS AND PLEDGES

London's Feeling of Uneasiness
Grows in Connection with
German Invasion

SILENT AS TO STRAITS
Are British War Officials, But
Unofficial Despatches Say
Allies Are Progressing.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
LONDON, May 3.—The week end has been marked by relatively mild activity in the North sea and the resumption of the submarine blockade by German craft, which had destroyed or damaged three vessels off the Scilly Islands, one of the victims being the American oil tank steamer, Guilflight. No further official announcement has been made concerning fighting in the Dardanelles but unofficial dispatches say that the allies are making progress toward the narrow under cover of the fire of their naval guns, which are inflicting great damage on the Turkish offensive, including the reported total destruction of the town of Dardanelles.

A late Turkish official announcement claims a victory near Gaba Tepeh in the Gallipoli peninsula, which is said to have resulted in the retreat of the colonial British troops to the shelter of their warships. This account, however, does not agree with the British official report published Saturday which declared that the British were resuming the offensive after a stubborn resistance on the part of the Turks.

Petrograd continues to assert that the advance of German troops in the direction of Riga is only a raid but an uneasy feeling is growing in London that these invaders are in force sufficiently strong seriously to threaten Russian communication. Other sections on the eastern front report only minor engagements while the western battle lines evidently are taking a breathing spell after the strenuous activity of the last fortnight.

EMPEROR OF GERMANY
LOOKS WELL, BUT AGED

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
LONDON, May 3.—A dispatch from Amsterdam says that Emperor William and Prince Henry of Prussia, his brother, were at Antwerp for the last week and inspected the harbor fortifications and the submarine yards. Subsequent to this they returned to Luxembourg. The local newspapers were forbidden to mention this visit until such a time as the emperor was back in Luxembourg. The few persons who recognized his majesty say he looked well but aged.

FRENCH STATEMENT
OF WAR OPERATIONS

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
PARIS, May 3.—The French war office this afternoon gave out an official report on the progress of hostilities reading:

"The Germans yesterday made two attacks with asphyxiating gas. One was to the north of Ypres near St. Julien and the other was to the south of Ypres near hill No. 60. Neither one accomplished anything. There is nothing else to report from the rest of the front."

ALLIED VESSELS ARE
DAMAGED BY TURKS

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
CONSTANTINOPLE, May 3.—The Turkish war department today gave out the following official statement:

"The enemy has not succeeded in improving his position on the coast of the Gallipoli peninsula. The fire of our batteries directed against the enemy at Sedir, Dahr shows good results."

The statement claims that the French battleship, Henry IV, and the British battleship, Vengeance, have been damaged by shells from the guns of the Turkish Black sea fleet demonstrated for an hour off the Bosphorus and then retired rapidly in a northerly direction.

BRITISH STATEMENT OF
WAR ACTIVITIES

LONDON, May 3.—There was given out today a British official statement reading as follows:

"At 7 p. m. May 1 the Germans attacked hill No. 60, southeast of Ypres and yesterday evening they attacked in the neighborhood of St. Julien. These attacks were both repulsed. We lost no ground and we inflicted heavy casualties on the enemy in spite of the fact that he again used poisonous gases emitted from tubes in the trenches and from especially manufactured shells. A German aeroplane yesterday morning was chased by one of our machines to within rifle range of our trenches and then brought down by our fire."

FINED BY MAGISTRATE.

For being drunk and disorderly around the court house, Elmer Gosip, a stone mason, was fined \$1 and costs Monday morning by Magistrate T. G. Nicewarner. He paid the required sum and was released. C. W. Thomas, colored, janitor of the court house, had him arrested.

MR. MALLISON TAKES
WELL EARNED VACATION.

Samuel T. Mallison of the Telegram's editorial staff went Sunday night to his former home at Rocky Mount, N. C., for a visit of two weeks. This is Mr. Mallison's first visit to his former home since he came to Clarksburg a year and a half ago and accepted a position with the Telegram, which position he has filled with splendid efficiency. He is a brilliant writer and a popular and polished gentleman. It is his first vacation since he came to Clarksburg and a host of Clarksburg friends wish him a delightful sojourn.

VERY SMALL

Are the Wage Advances Awarded to Railroad Men on the Western Roads.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
CHICAGO, May 3.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen after analyzing the arbitration award for three days, today issued a statement in support of their contention that the wage advances granted were very small. The increases aggregate, according to these figures, \$820,498 a year. The figures are for wages alone and do not include the value of compensatory rules or over time allowances granted.

The railroads contended throughout the case that to grant every demand made by the men would cost the ninety-eight western railroads involved \$40,000,000 a year. The men claim the cost would not run over \$10,000,000 a year.

The award is said to affect engineers on only 5,576 locomotives out of 23,812 in service. The advance to the engineers total \$311,111.46, according to the Brotherhood. Firemen on 7,005 locomotives out of 23,661 in service, receive a total increase of \$509,386.70, it is calculated by the Brotherhood.

CARRS ESCAPE

From County Road Crew on Bridgeport Road and Hunt is on.

Alfred and Thad Carr, county convicts, eluded guards Monday morning and escaped from the road crew at work on the Bridgeport road between Tin Plate and Bridgeport. They had been on their good behavior for some time and had been made trustees.

As soon as the escape of the two was reported to the sheriff's office, Deputies Clarence Vannort and John Siers went to the scene and started on a hunt for them.

It is believed that the men decided to make their escape because the county bloodhounds were away in Webster county on a man hunt.

APRIL COAL BUSINESS BREAKS ALL RECORDS

So Far as Baltimore is Concerned with the Export Trade the Reason.

BALTIMORE, May 3.—April was a record month for the quantity of coal brought to Baltimore by the Consolidation Coal Company. During the month it delivered to the coal piers of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad at Curtis bay, and to the Western Maryland railroad at Port Covington, 256,222 net tons, the largest amount for the period the records of the company show to have been brought to this port.

Of this \$6,442 tons came over the Baltimore and Ohio and 67,730 tons over the Western Maryland. President Jere H. Wheelwright, of the Consolidation Coal Company, was enthusiastic over the movement and he says the turn of the corner looks as if it has been made in the coal traffic.

Swelling Export Figures.

The bulk of these deliveries are for foreign shipment and the scenes at both of these railroad terminals have been active and encouraging. Vessels have been constantly taking on these cargoes and as fast as one was loaded another was ready to pull in and take its place. This movement of coal which has found its way to South America and European ports has helped to swell the large exports for the month from this city.

Commencing sometimes this week the Consolidation Coal Company expects to have a daily movement of Baltimore of 50,000 net tons divided between the Baltimore and Ohio and the Western Maryland railroads. This will bring to Baltimore a tonnage

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SPLendor MARKS DUKE-BIDDLE WEDDING IN PHILADELPHIA



The bridal party; Mr. and Mrs. Angier B. Duke in center.

"A wedding of superlatives" was what the bride's mother called the recent wedding in Philadelphia of seventeen-year-old Cordelia Biddle of that city and Angier B. Duke of New York. The bride was the prettiest ever; her gown was the most wonderful ever; the presents were the richest ever. And both the young people, who are superlatively wealthy, declared themselves the happiest persons in the world. They are now in the west on their honeymoon.

AUTO OWNERS FINED

By Mayor for Driving Their Cars With Mufflers Open.

In accordance with orders issued by Mayor G. H. Gordon, all police officers were notified to be on the look-out Sunday evening for automobiles being driven through the city streets with mufflers open. The mayor notified all automobile owners through the columns of local papers that the section referring to that offense would be rigidly enforced, and as a result policemen took numbers of eleven automobiles Sunday evening who were violating the ordinance.

Several of the owners have already appeared in police court and paid their fines, \$5 and costs, and were dismissed. The police are looking for the others today and all will be made pay their fines.

All policemen working the day shift were also notified to be on the look-out for offenders and Mayor Gordon states that he is going to break up this practice.

HOLDUP BY ALLEGED BLACK HANDER MAY RESULT IN MURDER

One Man Terribly Stabbed and
Another Shot by a Stranger
at Zeising.

Joseph Piccola, a coal miner of Gypsy, is in a serious condition at St. Mary's hospital with four stiletto wounds each about four inches deep in his back and Frank Sansoleto, a coal miner of Rosebud, is a patient at his home with a pistol shot through an arm as the result of an alleged Black Hand holdup Sunday afternoon at Zeising. That section is now being scoured for the assailants.

According to the story told county officers by the wounded men and Frank Angeletta, at whose home the attack occurred, two strange men came to the house Sunday afternoon, demanded money of Piccola and when he refused to give it, one of the callers drew a dirk and stabbed him four times. Frank Sansoleto jumped in and attempted to defend Piccola whereupon the other stranger pulled out a revolver and shot him through an arm.

Leave Cap and Sheath.

The strangers then fled and their departure was so hurried that they left a cap and the leather case that had sheathed the stiletto, both of which are now at the sheriff's office and which, it is believed, will turn out to be valuable clues.

When the stabbing and shooting were reported to the sheriff's office Deputy Sheriffs Clarence Vannort and John Siers immediately went to the scene, got medical attention for the wounded men and brought them and Louis Bendo, whom they arrested as a witness, to Clarksburg. On arrival here the wounded men were taken to the hospital. Sansoleto's wound was not serious and after it had been dressed he left the hospital and later returned to his home.

Another Arrested.

After learning all they could from these three men the two deputies decided to go back to Zeising and arrest any others who might know something about the affair. They got Frank Angeletta and brought him to the county jail, where he was subjected to a fire of questions. Angeletta, it appeared, had gone to a garden truck about a mile distant from his home when the fight occurred. He said that Sansoleto came to his house Saturday and staid all night, but departed at daylight and returned about 10 o'clock bringing two supposed friends, one of whom was Piccola. After dinner the two strangers appeared and the attack occurred an hour or two later after the alleged demand for money had been made.

There is something mysterious about the whole affair and about the stories told by the different persons examined by the sheriff and his deputies. Bendo and Angeletta were released Sunday evening but they and the wounded men are still under surveillance.

TWO TRAWLERS SUNK

By a German Submarine, within
Fifty Miles of Aberdeen and
Others Are Chased.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
ABERDEEN, Scotland, May 3.—Trawlers making port today declared that a German submarine sunk two trawlers within fifty miles of Aberdeen Sunday. The crews of the two vessels it is believed lost their lives. It would appear that the submarines ran amuck of the Aberdeen fishing fleet. In addition to sending two to the bottom, it chased three other trawlers for thirty miles. A patrol boat approached whereupon the submarine submerged.

CLARENCE MOORE'S WIDOW IS A BRIDE

Bridegroom is the Nephew of
the Danish Minister to This
Country.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 3.—Mrs. Mabel Swift Moore, one of the wealthiest of the women who were made widows by the Titanic disaster, was married Saturday to Axel Christian Preben Winchfield, of Denmark, now living in New York, and a nephew of the Danish minister, Constantin Brun. The ceremony was performed in the home of the bride, 1746 Massachusetts avenue, N. W., by the Rev. Roland Colton Smith, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, in the presence of the mother and children of the bride, Miss Frances Moore, daughter of the late Clarence Moore, the Swedish steamer, Ellida, timber laden, from Helsingborg for Hull, has been torpedoed in the North sea by a German submarine. It went to the bottom in less than three minutes. The sixteen men and two women on board had time to make their escape in one of the small boats. After cruising about for two hours they were picked up by a Danish schooner and landed at Lahrby, Denmark.

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MAY TERM

Of the Circuit Court with Judge
Haymond Maxwell on the
Bench, is Begun Here.

With Judge Haymond Maxwell on the bench at the opening of the May term of the circuit court, the following business was transacted Monday:

Union Land Company against Martha L. Devaughn et al, dismissed.

Lloyd Stout et al against the Hope Natural Gas Company, demurrers filed.

Elizabeth M. Ross against Richard Higgins et al, demurrer of the Hope Natural Gas Company recorded.

Benjamin W. Harbert et al, two cases, against Stella Ash McGaffney et al, dismissed.

George William Swisher against the Hope Natural Gas Company, demurrer filed.

Emily L. Brown against John W. Graves, final order.

Sylvester Lyon, guardian, against Ray G. Lyon, order to invest funds at four per cent interest.

Homor Adams, a member of the Ritchie county bar, was admitted to practice.

The following law orders were dismissed:

George E. Williams against Joseph Thorn, L. D. Thompson against D. L. Coffindaffer, George S. Hanlester against Marshall O. Davis, C. E. Specht against Walter V. Fowler, Calvin Squires against Doman Consolidated Oil Company and E. H. Kintzer against the same company.

Mary L. Standard took a judgment against the estate of Gertrude C. Lowe for \$300.

GAS FAMINE
Is Threatened in Arkansas Cities
and Towns as Result of
the Flood Situation.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS)
LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 3.—With one pipe line across the Red river already broken virtually cutting off this city's gas supply and the other lines threatened officials of the Arkansas Natural Gas Company feared flood conditions would result in a gas famine in ten Arkansas counties lasting perhaps three weeks. Should the remaining lines break the following towns would be without gas: Hot Springs, Pine Bluff, Benton, Malvern, Guerdon, Hope, Prescott, Arkadelphia, and Sheridan.

No repairs can be made to the pipe line, it is said, until the Red river recedes to normal, which it believes will not be for three weeks. The gas is supplied from the Caddo field in Louisiana.

ALLEGED BOOTLEGGER.

A. H. Hummel, a young man, is a prisoner in the county jail awaiting a trial before Magistrate William E. Starcher on a charge of violating the prohibition law, having been arrested Sunday night in Glen Elk by Constable Wirt Stout. The alleged violation of the law is the selling of whiskey in the street in regular bootlegging fashion.

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To Pay for the Tabernacle and
the Various Current Ex-
penses of Campaign.

COLLECTIONS ARE TO CEASE
Another Wonderfully Busy and
Successful Day in the Great
Evangelistic Campaign.

COLLECTIONS.

Saturday and Sunday, \$2,508.65
Previously reported, \$1,872.50
Total, \$4,381.15

DECISIONS.

Sunday, different meetings, \$3
Previously reported, \$81
Total, \$84

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Monday.

7:30 o'clock, meeting at Broad Oaks Methodist Episcopal church. Mr. Snyder will speak.

Tuesday.

9:30 o'clock, store meeting at Carter's store, Broad Oaks.

Noon, luncheon for men at First Methodist Episcopal church.

Noon, meeting at the tin plate mill. Mr. Young will speak.

2:30, parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. McCarty, West Main street. Miss McGaughey will speak.

4: Young Peoples' meeting at Broad Oaks Methodist Episcopal church.

7:30, tabernacle service with sermon by Dr. Hamilton. Broad Oaks village will attend in a body. Red Men, Daughters of Pocahontas, Junior Order of American Mechanics and Daughters of America will go in a body. A Grafton delegation is also expected.

Wednesday.

7:30, Independent Order of Odd Fellows and Rebekah Night.

Thursday.

7:30, special sermon.

Friday.

Knights of Pythias night. The Knights of Honor are also invited.

Sunday was a day of big meetings at the tabernacle. They were big in attendance, big in influence and big in things accomplished. Sunday morning a big load was lifted from the campaign when the balance of the expense budget was raised and the entire expense account of the campaign provided for. About \$2,500 was raised in cash and pledges to be held within the next ten days. This will abundantly pay all bills for a six weeks' campaign and new on no collection will be taken unless it be for some special object. The amount came in subscriptions of from \$125 the largest, given by the choir and \$100 subscribed by the Brotherhood, down to amounts of \$1.00. This means much to the campaign and from now on there ought to be added power and influence in the meeting.

Famous "Booze" Sermon.

Sunday afternoon Dr. Hamilton gave his famous "booze" sermon, "not so much that Clarksburg and West Virginia needed it as an argument to vote out the liquor traffic as to encourage the people to keep up the work and use their influence to see that it is voted out in other states and that West Virginia is kept dry." He took occasion to compliment the county and city officials for their aggressiveness in enforcing the law and urged them to keep up the good work until not a bootlegger or speakeasy was left in the county and that every lawbreaker was paying the penalty for his willful violation of the statutes. It was a terrific bombardment of old John Barleycorn's breastworks and there was no doubt as to the sentiment of the audience by the applause given at various times during the service. Although not a sermon calculated to bring results in the way of conversions, there were sixteen men who made a decision.

Another very pleasing feature of this service was the work of the Booster chorus which repeated the program given about a week ago. They did remarkably well, and their song, "Down with Booze," with its variations literally brought down the house. Mr. Welch has promised that they will appear again before long with an entirely new program of songs.

Sunday Evening Service.

The days meetings reached a climax on Sunday evening. The big hemlock temple was packed to the doors and many were compelled to stand. The chorus under the leader-

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In the North Sea by a German
Submarine, But Crew and
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